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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

MATTHEW K. POTTS, an individual,
Plaintiff,

v.

VF OUTDOOR, INC., a Delaware
Corporation, and DOES I through X,
Defendant(s)._____

CASE NO. C07 05213 BZ

**DECLARATION OF
MICHAEL L. HARRISON
IN SUPPORT OF EX PARTE
APPLICATION TO EXTEND
DEADLINES SET FORTH IN THE
"ORDER SETTING INITIAL CASE
MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE AND
ADR DEADLINES," and to EXTEND
DEADLINE TO ACCEPT OR REJECT
MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

I, Michael L. Harrison, make the following declaration in support of the
accompanying motion.

1. I am an attorney at law duly licensed to practice in all of the courts of the State of
California, and am the attorney of record for the plaintiff in this action.

2. Plaintiff has not attempted to serve the Complaint and Summons on defendant VF

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1 OUTDOOR, INC. ("defendant") for the reason that plaintiff and defendant have been
2 engaged in discussions of a proposal that may lead to a resolution of the dispute
3 underlying this action, without necessity for further proceedings in court. In the interest
4 of furthering these discussions without adding the complication and acrimony of
5 litigation, and to avoid incurring further costs and attorney fees, plaintiff has refrained
6 from advancing the litigation forward until these discussions have concluded in one way
7 or another.

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9 3. No attempt has been made by plaintiff to obtain defendant's stipulation to this
10 application as defendant has not yet been served and has therefore not yet appeared in this
11 action.

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13 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America
14 that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration is being executed on the date
15 last written below.

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17 July 2, 2008

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19 /s/ Michael L. Harrison
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